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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT OF JUNE 17, 2005

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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of June 17, 2005. The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment stated that claim 1 includes limitations that have not been properly marked with an underline to identify the newly added limitations to the claims. Applicants have corrected claim 1 in this paper to properly identify all amendments to the claim. Additionally, Applicants have corrected claims 13-19 to include the word "medium" after "computer accessible". As requested by the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, only the corrected section, (i.e. the amendment to the claims section) has been resubmitted to replace the claim amendments submitted with the previous response. Please amend the case as listed below.